

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 5012

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served January 24, 1997

Application of SHIRLINGTON)
LIMOUSINE & TRANSPORTATION, INC.,)
to Amend Certificate No. 259)

Case No. AP-97-05

By application accepted for filing January 21, 1997, Shirlington Limousine & Transportation, Inc., requests removal of the 15-passenger restriction in Certificate of Authority No. 259. Applicant proposes adding four minibuses and filing a new contract tariff.

Under Article XI, Section 10(b), of the Compact, the Commission may amend a certificate of authority upon application by the holder. The applicant is required to attach as Exhibit K the certificate to be amended. Exhibit K is missing from this application. Applicant will be directed to file the original.

A carrier seeking expanded operating authority must show that it is fit and that the proposed transportation is consistent with the public interest.¹ This proceeding is hereby initiated to determine whether applicant is fit and whether the proposed amendment is consistent with the public interest.

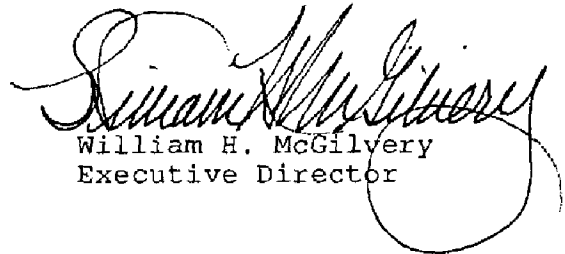
THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than January 27, 1997, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.
2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than February 17, 1997, an original and four copies of an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.
3. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than January 27, 1997, the original and four copies of Certificate of Authority No. 259.

¹ In re Priority One Servs., Inc., No. AP-96-41, Order No. 4900 (July 17, 1996).

4. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing is February 17, 1997, and that copies must be served on applicant's attorney, Edward J. Kiley, Esquire, 1730 M Street, N.W., Suite 400, Washington, DC 20036.

FOR THE COMMISSION:



William H. McGilvery
Executive Director